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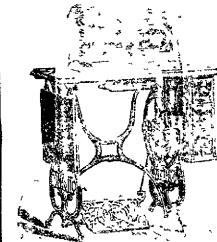
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marked, as the train sped away for Towardo, down in the state of Pennsylvania, 'that Col-Hyatt, president of the Pennsylvania Military academy, was arrested on charge of assault and battery because he whipped a student with

"Yes, I read about it," the fat passenger saids and the student exhibited three welts on the alves of his leas, in cyldence of the severity

less rage and disgust, and held his hand up in the air to express the terrible state of feelings, which was away beyond the reach of language I should wince to whimper, the Jester said, and the belis on his cap tinkled in the mellow tones of the golden, olden glory of the days 'I don't know what the boys of to day are made of The idea of a school boy go ing into court to show three welts on the cali That part of his leg, I think, must extend all the way up the boy | Three welts three Le" in Peoria, to get w licking with a forty four such hickory and be able to show the other boys a back like a Pranco Prussian didn't Lo home and show our welts to father

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New York Advertises The philosopher who wrote the axiom, "Suc-

cess lives two doors beyond perseverance," must have lived out on the prairie, where the houses are 100 miles or more apart

The richest woman in Colorado, it may surprise many to know, is not a bonanza princess, the whit nor am I aware that the smallest portion of her Try it.

wealth even came in any way, either directly or indirectly, through mining She is Mrs John W Hiff, widow of the late John W Hiff, popularly spoken of as "the cattle king" of the state, a man who died owning perhaps twice as many herds as any other stockinka in Colorado Considerable over 100,000 was the number of cattle possessed by Mr Hiff when he died

"I got badly left in forming a hasty opinion of the lah de dah captain of an English ironsupplies to Alexandria, and after discharging received orders to go to Berwickport for charter I knew nothing of the place, and had no chart of the north coast aboard the steam None of the merchant captains could upply me, and I finally concluded to upply to the captain of the iron chad Invincible, that lay close along-ende of us, as a hast chance I pulled up to the sangway, and was met by one of the off cers, who said I would have to want a few moments, as the crew were going to 'quarters As he spoke the boatswam a whistle was heard clear and sharp, above the hearse calls of his

clear and sharp, above the hearse calls of his mates Immediately, as if by magic, yards began to come down and to to aloft, the blue jackets rushing to and fro on deck, and of a sudden, bang' off went one of the eight ton guns fit to take your head off. After the men were piped down I made my way up to the bridge, where I found a little light haired man trotting up and down. His hat was cocked requisitly on the side of his head, he were long side whishers, and an eveglasse dangled from a gold chain about his nock. As I approached he halted suddenly, whiled about on one foot, screwed his eyeglass into his eye and, in a sweet little piping voice, said.

screwed his eyeglass into his eye and, in a sweet little piping voice, said.

My deah fellah, what can aw do faw you. Ho cut such a figure that I was tempted to laugh in his face, but, contioling miself, I stated my errand. Immediately the hitle man had all the quantomasters imming to find his sub officers, and in a juffy they returned, and touching their caps, they began to report that Mi A was ashere on liberty, Mi B had gone to Cano, and that Mr C was away in the first cutter—and so our He then turned to me and rubbing his hands, said. My deah tollah Berwickpoit is a voly hee place, aw assuah you, you will find no trouble in getting in, aw was there once my self. Thinks I, what an ass this man is and touching my hat I was about to go, when a bug saloi looking officer appeared and

sea with a man in the chains heaving the lead Of a sudden the breaststrap parted and away work the man overboard. The same little captain was on the bridge Instantly the Toppish are were gone and the true sailor appeared Pulling the bells he stopped the vessel and just as he stood olishus and allon, went over board to iscue his man. One of his henten into and a quartermaster jumped overboard to assert their commander. Instantly all was in an uproart. All hands were on deck. All the boats were lowered, and the four men in a few minutes were safe on board the Invincible. The leafisman was entangled in the line, and would certainly have drowned but for the rompt assistance of the captain. In addition this was the Courts man that same officer had least und from the order than that same officer had least und from the order that man that same officer had least und from the owned.

tiol et He sits and smills at the play, and af-The so are three early and undeveloped young and who affect to be far above that weakness her end of the leading lady or of any third

her, brusquely refused. The same result followed on application to the write a sister and eldest daughter. But before bedume the write, repenting, took the panie, and cutting off six inches from the lega, hemmed them noely and restored them to the closet. Half an hour later the daughter, taken with compunction for her unfinal conduct, took the trousers, and cutting off six inches, hemmed and replaced them. Finally the sister in law feit the pange of conscience, and she, too, performed an additional surgical operation on the garment. When the editor appeared at breakfast on Sunday the family thought a Highland cineftant had arrived, for the trowsers reached only to the middle of his thigh.

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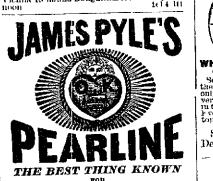
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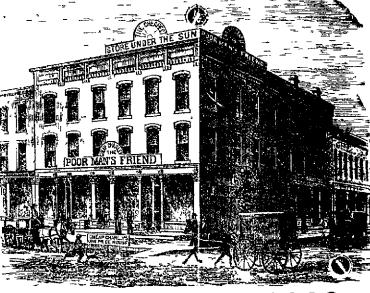


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Its meetings occur, on Tuesdays at 7% p m. and on Thursdays at 3 p m, at headquarters in Central Block, the former being a Gospet temperance meeting, and the latter one mainly for business There is also a monthly sociable at the tabernacle, on the third Thursday evening of the month. All are welcome to any of those meetings.

M. M. SARGERT Seq.

The Paily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 7, 1883. B. K. HAMSHEH. J. R. MOSSER. HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs.

DECATOR, ILLINOIS. Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

The Minneapolis Tribune thinks that if there was as much uncer tainty about the size of Tilden's barrel as there is about the state of his health, his name would never be mentioned in connection with the Democratic nomination for the Pres-

THE forlorn and toiling country editor, with his "patent outside," and his inward hankering for broadcloth and diamonds and a fast-running yacht, should take heart from the recent disclosures that the fortune of \$160,000 which Gambetta left behind him was all made from newspaper investments.

THE high-license city council of Des Moines, Iowa, has been victorious in its contest with the saloonkeepers. The latter, by agreeing to close their saloons, tried to coerce the Council into lowering the license fee from \$1,000 to \$400 per annum, but their "little game" didn't work. One of the saloon-keepers applied for a license, and this example was followed by many others. The high-made in Saturday's REPUBLICAN, took license people are much gratified at place from the residence of Mr. Samuel the result of the contest.

Fire in East St. Louis.

A destructive fire occurred in East St. Louis this morning. The police station and a block of buildings adjoining—not less than twelve stores age," found in the 15th verse of the 15th -were totally destroyed. The origin chapter of Genesis. The sermon was of of the fire is not known, nor the ex-

MRS. LOWELL, the wife of the American Minister to London, is in very delicate health, and was not able to go to court last season. This year, however, she resolved to run the risk of attending the first drawing-room, but was obliged to apply for a dispensation in some small matter of costume. The Queen, besides assenting to Mrs. Lowell's request, sent her a private message that she of two years, the husband and father died: was on no account to come to the drawing-room unless she received the permission of her medical advisers, and that, if they could not sanction ther attendance at the palace, Her Majesty would have much pleasure in paying her a visit at the pleasure in Mrs. Lowell was so much Legation. Mrs. Lowell was so much pleased with the Queen's friendly sympathy that, in order to testify her appreciation, she attended both drawing rooms.

PRESIDE NTARTHUR'S proposed summer residence at Soldiers' Home Park is thus described by a correspondent of the Boston Journal: The cottage occupied by the President is the one which Abraham Lincoin used in summer during the war. Since Buchanan's time it has been the custom of the commanding officer of the Home to place this house at only one summer. President Hayes in others and full of sympathy and only one summer. spent portions of every summer there, and it had been General Garfield's purpose to do so. President Lincoln used frequently to walk the ington, this location is not as cool as a Northern watering place, but it is 500 feet higher than the basin in which Washington City is located, and the thermometer at night is al ways ten or twelve degrees lower. These wooded hills, at all events, are a welcome refuge from the Washingington bake oven.

THE Illinois Board of Health is urging upon the Legislature of that State a bill to suppress the advertising doctors or "specialists." It is shown in support of the bill that these quacks flood the towns and schools of the State with demoralizing and indecent circulars and pamphlets, addressed by name to young men and girls, and that their busimen and girls, and that their busi-ness includes abortion as a promi-nent feature. Names of a number of such operators are given and their that her days of usefulness were gone, or methods exposed, and the argument in favor of a stringent law upon the subject seems to be convincing. The evil in question is not confined to Illinois, by any means. It extends all over the country, and its mischievous effects are incalculable.

This attempt to extirpate it in a local way will serve a general good purpose by directing attention to such as a country of an evalid or even the feintest sight the pose by directing attention to such parties in all the principal cities of sin eyelid or even the faintest sigh, the spirit left the clay tabernacle, its home for nearly a century, for "that house not pose by directing attention to such the country.—Globe-Democrat.

Col. Bennert H. Young, president of the Louisville, New Albany and Chicago Railroad Company, has issued an order directing the cessation of all unnecessary work on Sunday. The order states that efforts will be | Samuel Powers and Mrs. A. A. Powers made to abregate mail contracts that of this city. involve the necessity of Sunday trains, and that in future no excursion trains will be ruu on Sundays, even to camp meeting grounds, and every child between the ages of seven promises all possible consideration and fifteen years shall have sixteen to such of the employes as have con- weeks of schooling each year. No scientious scruples against Sunday child under twelve is to be allowed

to have grown up with me; having been a

Samuel Peebles is a farmer in Iowa who thinks as he sows, and

reads when he rests. In his ruminations upon the tariff question he has settled down to the following conclusions: A tariff for revenue only, if it

means anything, implies the following effect: A general reduction of the exist ing daties on imports. To be followed by a larger impor

tation of foreign-made fabrics. To be followed by a falling off in the demand for those made at home. To be followed by the closing of American workshops. To be followed by a relatively

greater number of men engaged in agriculture. To be followed by an increase in the supply of farm products, with no corresponding increase in the de-

To be followed by a reduction in the farmer's profits.

I, for one, do not like it. Perhaps some robust philosopher who raises theories instead of corn will rise in his place, on the call of the states, and prove that Samuel Peebles doesn't know what he is talking about. Up to the present time however, Mr. Peebles appears to have a clear majority in his favor.

THE LATE MRS. GILES.

Obitiony Remarks by Rev. Prestley at the Funeral of the Nonagenarian Friday Afternoon.

Dif b-In this city, on Thursday, May 4, 1885, Mrs. Almira Avery Giles, aged 91 years. The funeral, mention of which was Powers on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the presence of a large assembly of friends. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Prestley, pastor of the Presbyterian church, who selected for his text "And thou shalt go to thy fathers in peace; thou shalt be buried in a good old a very touching and tender character. The good influences of an aged christian to the church were shown. The aged christians testify in their prayers, their wise counsels and by their lives of the taitafulness of God.

Speaking personally of the deceased

the minister said: sent her a private message that she of wo years, the husband and father died and two years after the death of her hus-band Mrs. Giles removed to this city, where she has resided until the day of prominent events even which have taken prominent events even which have taken place within this period, it time would permit, would still not be in place here. As to her religious principles, from her youth, she was thoroughly Presbyterian; and at least the feeling herealf instilled.

youth, she was thoroughly Presbyterian; and at length, feeling herself justified, through the operations of the Spirit on hor heart, in taking the step, she made a profession of her faith in Christ July 12, 1831, and "after a very satisfactory examination," as the records set forth, she received the ordinance of baptism, the Subbath morning following, July 14, in the Eurst Presbyterian church of this the First Presbyterian church of this place. Possessed of a strong constitution and of great vitality in a far more than and of great vitality in a rath most ordinary degree, as her great age indicated, in her prime she was active and emergetic in performing her duty, acting from principle, doing the right because it the disposition of the President was right, and yet possessing a heart General Grant occupied the cottage easily touched by distress and suffering

the distress of the afflicted. The infirmities necessarily incident to one of her great age she endured patient-Lincoln used frequently to walk the long distance over the dusty road from the White House to the cottage on foot, and was unwilling to be accompanied by any escort, but Secretary Stanton, becoming alarmed, finally insisted that a mounted orderly should follow him. The house at the Soldiers' Home is a roomy two-story structure, amprotentions in architecture and very comfortable. Of course in the hot climate of Wash ingroup, this location is not as cool as never repining; but on the other cheerful. To her the sacred page was a verillumined with the bright rays of the Sun of Righteousnes, and she rejoiced in

> The children and young people always The children and young people aways and in her an interested and sympathating triend, and it was a source of real pleasure to her seeing them happy in their innocent amusements and enjoying this bright period of life so full of hope and rich in possibilities to them. And when young voices filled the house with the possibilities to the source of the sourc ong, it was to her a great pleasure to heter, and only the day before she died, in an interval of ease from her great physical suffering, she referred to her great delight in hearing singing at home. In this respect what must heaven be to her to-day. As to her title to the heavenly inheritance, there has not been as a limited of the heavenly inheritance. inheritance, there has not been a question for years in her mind, so great was her faith in God, and her obedience so unquestioning, that when reference was made to her great age and the uncertain-ties of life, she at all times expressed her

made with hands eternal in the heavens." "So fades a summer cloud away,
So sinks the gale when storms are o'er
So gently shufs the eye of day.
So dies a wave along the shore."
The deceased leaves four children—

Rev. Chauncey Giles, of Philadelphia; Mr. James Giles, of California; Mrs.

Compulsory Education.

The new compulsory education law of Rhode Island requires that to work in any manufactory, and no one under fourteen who cannot write Mr. J. Marse, Bank of Toronto, Ont., writes: "Biliousness and dyspepsia seem dence, and read some part of the state constitution.

Special Dispatches WASHINGTON.

How the Public is Defrauded in Making Contracts. Statues in Honor of Garfield and

Washington-Political Gossip

-Other News.

Plumiering the Government.

Washington. D. C., May 7.—The trouble in the Interior Department over the Hot Springs contract illustrates a difficulty which attends the letting of contracts of all kinds in departments where forfeits are not exacted. The Hot Springs contract has been pending now some time, and is not vet actually let. It is for making a sewer out of Hot Spring Creek, which flows through the town. The engineer estimate of the cost of the work is about \$100,-1000. The job was advertised in the usual way, and a large number of bidders appeared, and the lowest bidder was notified to qualify in bonds of \$10,000, the work to be done under the supervision of the government engineers. The lowest bidder dropped out, so did the next, and so on until after considerable delay, the contract was awarded to A. P. Robinson, of Hot Springs, who bonded and immediately becan the work. The bid was about \$83,000. A difference of opinion on measurement of the stone work arose between the contractor and the government, which was shally compromised by permission to throw up the contract. This the contractor did, as he saw there was no money in the job. The department theu readvertised the work, to which advertisement about a score of bidders responded. The lowest of these was in the neighborhood of \$70,-000, and the highest run some \$20,-000 more. The former was an expolitenen here who hasn't a dollar. The next highest, a cellar digger here, was a man equally irresponsible, and the next, a saloon-keeper, whose bondsman was no good, left it open to-day to Col. Bardwell, of Philadelphia, at \$78,-000. Now the secret of all this is the system of contractors' rings which obtain such mysterious control of the mail lettings. A dozen bidders are thrown forward and men without a dollar and without responsibility are interjected. These men are "on the make." and are either acting on their own hook or are mere tools of somebody else. One of these may be just below some of the ring. If the bidders drop out below him he is master of t Plundering the Government.

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loes. In this way a precious ring of pro-fessional bidders assist to plunder the

The Zuni Reservation.

Washington, D. C., May 7.—An executive proclamation was issued by President Arthur Saturday definitely describing the Zuni Reservation, so as to include the Nutrias and Pescado Springs. The attempted pre-emption of these springs and farms since its exposure has attracted a good deal of interest here. An investigation of the complaints of the Zunis of the invasion of their country resulted in the discovery that an error had been committed in the survey under the executive order of President Huyes setting aside the reservation, and that, contrary to the intent of the order, these springs and the adjacent farms were not included within the boundaries of the reservation. It was the evident purpose of President Hayes in his executive order to withdraw from settlement and exempt from the land grant of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Company the lands occupied by the Zunis, and to protect them in the perpetual possession of (heir homes. But Ben M. Thomas, the Indian Agent, charged with the location of the reservation, intrusted the work to a surveyor who failed to include some of the most valuable portions of the Zun country.

Mr. Thomas acknowledged the error and asked that it should be rectified. As long as the Indians enjoyed the full possession of their homes nothing was said about the mistake in the location of their reservation, but they protested against the recent attempts of certain parties to pre-empt their homes. These entries were made by Major W. F. Tucker, a son-in-law of General Logan and a paymaster in the army, and Captain Lawton, of the Fourth cavalry. The Commissioner of the General Land Office said that pending the investigation as to the boundary lines of the reservation these catries had been suspended. The parties who made them represented to the Secretary of the Interior that they would not press their claims to the land if it was found to be Indian country, but that they only wished to maintain them if it was found to be Indian country, but that they only wished to mai

An Official Scradal.

Washington, D. C., May 7.—A very unsavoly seandal, in which commissioner of Patents Marble is involved, is likely to result in that official's early retirement. The scandul has been bruited about the streets and departments here for some time, but the particulars are only known to a few. It appears that the Commissioner has made some bitter and uncompromising enemies, and these are disposed to make the best use of the facts in the case to force Mr. Marble out of the office. The woman in the case was quietly dismissed from the department has week. It is alleged that her influence was for a long time severely felt by the employes of the Patent-office, where she ruled male and female alike. There is no evidence offered to show any criminal relations between the Commissioner Marble and the woman in question, though her apparant ascendancy over the official head of the bureau and domineering rule of her fellow clerks gave rise to a good deal of disagreeable gossip. This, it is now said, has taken shape in a form to compass Marble's displacement. An Official Scandal.

An Interview with Raudall.

WASHINGTON, May 7.—Congressman Randall, who has just returned here from West Virginia, where he has been looking after his speakership fences, said to-day, in response to a question: "I am not in a position to know who will be appointed commissioner of internal revenue. I want the entire system sholished." commissioner of internal revenue. I want the entire vistem sholished."
Randall has returned from a visit to Senator Kenna of West Virginia, thoroughly impressed with the great future of that state. "I dislike to see it," said he, "because of state pride, but the Kanawha valley of Uvest Virginia will soon supply the west with coal. I am told now that Huntington's Chesapeake and Ohio railroad cunoto begin to handle the freight. Capital is pouring into West Virginia. Only recently a million English capital has been invested there. Railroads are being built and the rapid development of the State is phenominal."

Treasury Statements.
WASHINGTON, May 7.—Gold, silver and United States notes in the Treasury to-day; gold coin and bullion, \$189,053,880; silver dollars and bullion, \$109,995,135; fractional silver coin, \$28,125,879; United States notes, \$48,081,040; total \$375,235,134. Certificates outstanding, gold, \$35,677,500; silver, \$72,497,661; currency, \$19,-299,000. Treasury Statements.

THE high-license advocates of Jacksonville are not at all satisfied with the advance made in saloon licenses to \$550 a year. It appears that the rate is now \$400, and the advance is, therefore, only \$150 a year, which is considered very insignificant. It is asserted that this will not close a single saloon in that city, where they now have altogether too a formidable rival for the business many. The demand is made for a \$1,000 rate, and nothing less than \$800 will be satisfactory. The matter is probably not settled yet, and the Vandalia line. While the public have been wont to look with the rate is likely to be still further advanced. Meanwhile Springfield is moving along contentedly with 150 saloons that pay only \$100 a year each.—Springfield Journal.

SENATOR AND MRS. DON CAMERON will sail for Europe May 19. His daughter, Mrs. Bradley, and her child have been with them lately in Washington. Mr. Bradley's health sufferer for years. I have tried many remedies, but with no lasting result until I used your Burdock Blood Bitters. They have been truly a blessing to me, and I cannot speak too highly of them. Price \$1, trial size 10 cents.

State constitution.

There were 132 National banks is feeble. His lungs are thought to be affected and he has been ordered to New Mexico, whither his wife will \$25,000.

Washington, May 7.—The committee having charge of the proposed monument to the late President Garfield have practically agreed upon a plan for the statue, but the question of a site is very troublesome. It has been prophesized that the statue should be placed in the grounds south of the Executive Monsion, between the knolls where music is discoursed by the Marine band every pleasant Saturday afternoon during the warm season.

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Judge Advocate General Swain is authority for the statement that the recent fair at the Capitol netted \$8,000 for the Iproposed hospital to be erected in honor of General Garileld, but this was round insufficient for the purpose. It is probable, however, that this money will be turned over to the Monument committee, which in that event will have upwartis of \$30,000 available. The Government will be asked to contribute a suitable pedestal and site for the monument, but all other expenses will be met with funds controlled by the committee. The plan agreed upon for the statue is a bronze, natural-sized, standing figure of General Garifeld as he appeared in the House of Representatives, with his right hand resting upon his desk. The interhas been secured and will be placed at the disposal of the sculptor who obtains the contract, in order that he may reproduce a fac simile in bronze.

Conkling's Speech.

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WASHINGTON. May 7.—Conkling's speech at the Saturday night club in New York has attracted much attention here. It is a Godsend to the political gossips who haunt the hotels and other places of public resort. It is also discussed with much carnestness by officiar; and clerks of the government who are shocked at Conkling's frank declaration that the Democrats are about to take control of the country. There is any quantity of speculation as to what about to take control of the country. There is any quantity of speculation as to what Roscoe really means by saying that many of those who are influential in shaping the affairs of the government are "merely playing push-pin over the rot and rubbish of low frakery politics."

"Well," said an Arthur official last night, "this doesn't look much like harmony in New York. The times are still out of joint."

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A prominent officer of the treasury department said; That speech is not only a slap at the half-breeds throughout the country; but it is a big sig-

throughout the country; but it is a log sig-nificant sneer at Arthur. This sort of thing is going to handicap us badly in the tare next year.'
Administration circles are greatly stirred up by Conkling's thrus, s and inu-

The Washington Monument.

Washington, May 7.—Work will be respined to-day on the Washington monument, and before the season closes it is expected that 100 feet will be added to the shaft, which now towers about 320 feet in the air. Stone cutters have been for several weeks engaged in diessing the marble, prior to its being placed in postition, and everything is in readines for active operations. After a few more layers are secured there will be no further use for the granite packing, and the idea will be carried out that the top shall be as light as possible. The Baltimore firm which has hitherto furnished the marble for the monument has been underlied by the Massachusetts company, and the latter will furnish their first installment of marble to-day. Careful investigation shows that the massive toundation of the monument has borne out the prediction of the engineer in charge that it would not settle perceptibly, and no fears are entertained for the intimate success of this projected highest work of art in the civilized world.

Fatal Carelessness. The Washington Monument

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Chicago, May 3.—A terrible accident occurred at 105 West Madison street, whereby John Heavy shot and instantly killed his brother, Martin Heavy. The two brothers kept s shooting gailery at the above named place, and at 2:30 p. in. Saturday Martin went behim a mon screen in the middle of the room to need a dog which he had tied there in the middle was an opening the size of an ordinary door, through which shots could be fired at the long-range target fixed against the wall, about inity feet distant. John Hevy had picked up a rifle and pointed it at this further target, hot knowing that his brother was behind the screen, when Martin appeared in the opening, and at the same time the rifle exploded. The shot took effect in Martin's left breat directly over the heart, and he died instantly, the only words he uttered being, "John, you have killed me." John Hevy was taken to the Desplaines street station. The brothers lived with their mother, an old lady 80 years of age, at 414 South Morgan street, and were both married. Martin's wife, however, died some two years ago, but he leaves a little girl 6 years old. The deceased was 13 years old and his brother 37, and they have been engaged in running the shooting gallery at 105 West Madison street for some years. The rifle with which the shooting was done was an ordinary target rifle, Remington make, 22 caliber, and the cartinge such as used in ordinary revolvers of that size. The dead man's body was taken to his home on Morgan street, and the Coroner notified. The grief of the brother when he relized the result of his carelessness was intense, and after being placed in a cell in the station he had to be watched for fear he would do himsif some injury. He paced up and down the cell, wringing his hands, and constantly exceptions. injury. He paced up and down the cell, wringing his hands, and constantly exming, "My coor brother. I have killed.
. His child is an orphan new."

Justitable Hemicide.

Poplar Bluff, Mo., May 7.—The inquest held over the body of John Jones, who was shot and killed by Joseph Allsman at Ash Hills, this county, was quite lengthy and revealed some facts which were not thought of at the first report. It seems from the evidence that it was a general spree, and guns, pistols, etc., were talked of as great peace-makers. The shot which ended the career of a dangerous and dreaded man was fired by a boy of the age of nineteen years, which does naturally place a great deal of sympathy with him. In fact, he does not seem to realize his situation, and seemed almost in as good spirits during the day as any other person, except at times when soms remark would drop from the hystanders. Jones was considered a very dangerous man, it has been but a short time since he took possession of Jessie McCollum's saloon in lexter, stodlard county, and demolished furniture to his heart's content. The testimony at the inquest showed that he struck allsman several heavy blows before Allsman fired, and also that he made the romark to a Mr. Sprodding at 1 o'clock that day that he would have either Allsman's or Charles McArnic's life before 12 o'clock that night. Whether this was communicated to Allsman or not was not disclosed. The coroner's jury was made up of citizens and acquaintances of both the deceased and the prisoner, and returned a verdict of justifiable homicide. Allsman was brought to this place and a warrant sworn out by Prosecuting Attorney G. A. Standard and his examination set for to-day. The grand jury is in session. Jones has no relatives in this country that can be found and no effects or money was found on his person. Justiflable Hemielde.

A Marmon Divorce. SALT LAKE, Utah, May 7.—A sensational divorce case was begun here Saturday by the wife of Jeter Clinton, for many years police justice of this city and now city physician. The petition alleges that they were married over forty years ago in Iowa, and that some years ago he deserted her and has wholly failed to provide for her subsistence; so that she has been compelled to exist on the charity of friends. She has borne him seven children, one of whom is a confirmed invalid and shares the poverty of the mother. Jeter has been for many years and is now a leading Mormon.

IT is said that the Erie Railroad has concluded a traffic arrangement with the Indiana, Bloomington & Western Railroad, which, if true, gives that corporation a continuous line through Springfield, Ohio, to Decatur, in this state. If the link from Decatur to St. Louis is built as threatened, the Erie will soon be of the great Mississippi Valley some apprehension on these great railroad consolidations, thus far no material hardships have been suffer ed on account of them. Competition and the retraints of wholesome laws prevent any oppressive monopolies; and besides that, these consolidations have resulted in cheaper management and lower rates of transportation, whereby the public really have been benefitted .-- State Journal.

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FERGUS FALLS. Minn., May 7.—A special to the Fergus Falls Journal gives the particulars of the arrest of Carl Fleicher, of Pelicau Rapids, under the following peculiar circumstances. Fleischer was arrested and tried three years ago for burning the house of Charles Hyatt. of Pelicau, but the trisl resulted in his acquittal. A year later the house of one Osburn was robbed, but there was no clue to the thief. Recently Fleischer rented his house, and the family found the Osborn family Bible hudden under the roof of their house, which they placed on their table among other books. Fleischer called soon after, saw the book, appeared excited over it, and carried it away with him. This action aroused suspicion, resulting in the finding of many other things in the partition and under the floors, the house being pretty well torn to pleees by the zeal of the searchers, who also became more eager when many things, also the property of Mr. Hyatt, whose house fleischer was charged with burning, were found. Fleicher will be held on the charge of robbery and an interesting prosecution will follow.

Robbery and Arson

St. Louis Casualties.

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St. Louis, May 7.—Mrs. Kate Burke died at 1221 Spruce street yesterday after moon, as she stated the day before from the effect of a blow with a poker inflicted by Thomas Ryan. Ryan, who was arrested by Detective Desmond and is now held on charge of bomicide, denies that ho struck Mrs. Burke. He states that prior to his marriage in January she was his house-keeper. Something over a week ago she came to his house on Cass avenue, between Twelfth and Thirteenth and haid claim to a large portion of his furniture. He admits that they had a quarrel, that he shoved her and that she fell against a post, but denies that he used a poker.

The child of Michael McAuliffe, residing at 1423 North Eighth, who was run over at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon by car No. 4. of the Cass avenue line, died yesterday morning. The driver is under arrest and the coroner will hold an inquest at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

A RIE Sanday School Assembly. Offiawa, Kan., May 7.-The Sunday-chool assembly of Kansas and Missour holds the next remaion at Forest Park, this city. June 20 to July 6. The managers report the most attractive programme ever given outside of Chautauqua. A number of leading Chautauqua members are to be present—Rev. J. L. Huribat. Dr. Schaefer, Dr. Deems, Prof. Maynard, Frank Beard, Prof. W. C. Richards, Rev. A. J. Palmer. Senator Colquitt. Geo. W. Brown, Gov. St. John. Music under the direction of Prof. Sacrwin. Forest Park is in fine condition, with new and large tabernacles, good dining-halls and abundance of shade and water. holds the next reunion at Forest Park, thi

Indiana Knights.

Indiana Pholis, Ind., May 7.—Adjt. Gen. Carnahan, Commandant of the Grand Division Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, has issued general order No. 1, amounteing that the first State Encoupment will be held at Terra Hante. July 2 to 5, inclusive. A number of large prizes will be offered for the best drilled. Gen. Carnahan has also issued a circular, calling attention to the second annual Military Encampment of Indiana, at lids city, August 13 to 17, with larger premiums than that of last year. As one day of the Encampment will be devoted to competitive drills of the 1st Regiment, Indiana Veteran Legion, all of whom are members of the Indiana Knights. Legion, all of whom are members of the Grand Army of the Republic, it has been determined to make that day Grand Army Day for Indians and visiting contrades.

Charlie McComas with the Indians.

Tucson, A. T. May 7.—Special advices from San Carlos say: Chief of Scouts, Mr. Sage, states that two Chihuahua Apaches just arrived from Mexico. He had a long talk with them Saturday. They told him that Charlies McComas is still living, is well and in care of Chief Bonita. They saw the boy eleven days ago. They say he is made a pet amongst all the Indians, and goes by the name of Charley among them. They say if the troops don't surprise the camp Charley will be brought in alive. Sage states further that from what he can find out through them, the Indians they here going to make piece, and use Charley McComas as the means to be allowed to come in. Loro's band has split up and cut loose from Ju's. They want to come in, but Ju says he will surrender. Charite McComas with the Indians.

NAIT LAKE, Utah, May 7.—The Josephite Mormons veem to be worrying the "Latter Day Saints in Utah." The polygamist organ has a three-column editoral basting it to the monagamist Mormons. Besides this there is a long communication on the same subject from a polygamist elder. Quarreling Mormons.

W. H. VANDERBILT.

He Starts for Europe-Why he Resigned.

NEW YORK, May 7 .- W. H. Vanderbilt,

companied by his uncle, Capt. Jac W. Vanderbilt, and his youngest son, George W. Vanderbilt, and his youngest son, George W. Vanderbilt, salied Saturday for Liverpool on the Britannie. Last year he sailed in the same yessel on May 6. His relatives turned on en masse to see him off. Among them were William K. and his wife. Cornellus and his wife, Dr. Seward Webb and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. H. Twombier, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sloane, Mr. and Mrs. Lilliott F. Shepard and Frederick Vanderbilt. Mr. Vanderbilt sud: "I take this trip simply for recreation. I generally go abroad at this season of the year. I don't take this trip for my health, which is excellent. It is better to pass a month on the water than to remain in town. The past two years I have been confined to my house only one day by illness. I shall return on the second trip to the Britannie in about four weeks. After my return I shall remain in the city four weeks and shall then return to Europe with some of my family and pass July and August in Switzetland, instead of going to Saratoga.

In reply to a question he said: "I resigned the presidency of the railroads through a desire to recognize the worth and ability of my associates. The advancement of these gentlemen will tend to bring out all that is in them. But I have not alared my interest in the roads. They will remain in the same control as heretonic. The report of my parting with my stock is all nonsense,"

Among the other passengers on the Britaunic was F. Theodore Walton, the plunger, and his celebrated racer, Girofe. The horse had a large box stall on the forward part of the malndeek. Fye hundred dollars was paid for its passage. Vanderbilt, and his youngest son. George W. Vanderbilt, salied Saturday for Liverdollars was paid for its passage. A Saloon Debter to a Fatal Quarre!

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Little Rock, Ark., May 7—A serious and disgraceful shooting affray took place last night at Wrightsville, a small town about a dozen miles east of Little Rock, on the Arkansas Valley route. As is usual on Saturday a large crowd of colored people congregated in town, several of them became intoxicated, and finally they organized a party and attempted to take possession of J. L. Parsona's saloon. Mr. Parsons resisted and attempted to close the doors. A negro manned Campbell Walkner then ran around behind the bar and caught Parsons around the waist. M. Graves, a white man, went to Parsons' assistance and then the shooting commenced. In the melee Walkner was fatally shot, and a daughter of Parsons, who bad gone to the rescue for the father, was also wounded.

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THE Northwestern Miller, at Minneapolis, Minn., furnishes the following facts: "The daily product of the Minneapolis mills for the week was 14,200 barrels, six of the twentytwo being idle. Receipts of wheat were 281,500 bushels; shipments of flour, 80,000 barrels; wheat in store in Minneapolis mills and elevators, 1,720,000 bushels; in store at Duluth, 1,505,200 bushels. On the whole the condition of the milling interests is less favorable this week, meeting slow sales at the advance of last week. The cry of the millers is that wheat is too high for the present price of flour."

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MONDAY EVENING, MAY 7, 1883. LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

WALK in and see the Novelty Baby Carriages at E. D. Barrholomew & Co.'s. Court next week.

Council meeting this evening. Can anybody tell us in advance who will capture the appointive city offices? Found-a small door key. Call at this

VISITING dentists should see the comedy, "Voudoo Violets," to-night.

On Sunday there were 489 persons at the First M. E. church Sabbath school. You can get books at the library until May 19th.

No market report. The Decatur Board of Trade is closed.

COMMENCEMENT exercises will be held at Maroa and Macon this mouth. Diplomas will be awarded. FRESH country butter and nice vege-

tables on sale at Niedermyer's on the

THERE is a movement on foot in Deca tur to erect a magnificent hotel, having all the modern conveniences, on the northwest corner of North Franklin and William streets, the present site of Mr.

Isaac Shellabarger's old residence. THERE were 255 at the Stapp's Chape S. S. yesterday.

PATRONIZE D. F. Hamsher on Wood street, when you want any sort of a vehicle repaired in a workmanlike manner at small cost. A PRELIMINARY meeting of the mem

bers of the new council was held Saturday evening. The sidewalk question was the tonic most discussed.

STILL on the top of the heap-J. W. Tyler, the popular harness dealer-see his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

THE new connect will probably favor building only brick walks in the central portion of the city, and substantial plank walks on out-of-the-way streets. Anything will do to get rid of the abominable shoe destroving gravel.

DENTISTS and all others are cordially invited to call at C. B. Prescott's and examine those celebrated Haines Brothers pianos. They are the favorites.

EVERY Sunday Will Shellabarger and Gertie Randolph furnish violin accompaniment for the singing at the Sabbath chool at Stapp's Chapel.

ALL dentists who include in the use of the weed, should ask Decatur dealers for Schroeder's Bohemian cigars. They are

Bloomington exchange: "The colored ooys of this city organized a base ball club last night, and will play the colored club of Decatur at an early date. The club organized last night contains a number of good players and they will doubt less make it interesting for any similar organization." Come on, ye cloudy Bloomington batters. We've got a club iere that will wipe you out in short order. SEE Stookey & Peniwell in opera block. They have a splendid line of family groceries, and make a specialty of

Digging and angling for fish in the Sangamon niver near the water works those who delight in piscatorial pleasures. gang on failing to fork over the amount Many fat strings of fish are brought into of the fine and costs.

FERGUSON & DILLEBURT will deliver rasoline in five gallon lots. [apr20dtf] On Saturday last, Mr. George P. Hardy, our efficient county clerk, retired from the office of city clerk, a position he has held for eleven years. He has served the city to the satisfaction of all our people, and as a recognition of his faithful services in that capacity, Decatur rolled him up a big majority of a thousand votes for county elerk, a promotion his popularity and qualifications richly deserved.

Another invoice of Wilson Bros. Pe-OSMERS & Son, eiger dealers, have been beautifying their establishment, inside and out, at the corner of Prairie and Water streets. The transformation is neat and noticeable. Even the Indian sign has been treated to a new suit of

For infants' robes, cloaks and lace caps call at Miss Miller's, opposite postoffice.

Huy your gasoline of Ferguson & Dillehnut, No. 13 Water St. [apr20-dtf The popular "Blower" hand made clear Havana filler, five cent cigar, is made by Keck & Weigand, East Eldorado street, who also manufacture the famous "10-er" and "Keystone" cigars. feb20-dtf

SOFT NUT COAL-just the thing for Ed. L. Martin's ooking, at April 28-d2w Coal Yard. Ar Pope & Bro.'s popular store in opera

block you will find everything needful in SPECIAL Bargains in muslins and CHEAP STORE.

Bur the Ferguson Vapor Stove of

smokers among the best. THE Red Front Grocery Store, on Mer-

chant street, is selling out at cost to close business. All kinds of groceries cheaper than ever before known in Decatur. The stock is varied and complete. Call soon.

March 15-dti Black and Colored Cashmeres

THE STATE DENTISTS

Meeting of the Society at the Court House This Week A number of delegates to the nineteenth annual meeting of the Illinois State Society, to be held at the Dental ourt

or less cash can make some excellent inhouse, in this city, on vestments which will yield large returns Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and in a short time, provided he plants it in Friday of this week, have already arrived the right spots, but it's just like buying in the city, and by to-morrow there will options—sometimes you get on top, but more often you don't. This from the be a very large number of the professional Bloomington Pantagraph will serve as a gentlemen from all parts of the state in own to accept of Decatur's proverbial timely hint to any who may think of gorespitalities and attend to the business ing to the windy "frigid zone:" "Mrs. W. which brings them here. It is expected B. Carlock, who went from here to Huron, that several hundred delegates will visit Dakota, a few weeks since, is not content the city, as the society has a very large to live in that dreary and wild country, membership. Below we give the and will return to this city in a few OFFICERS OF THE SOCIETY: weeks. Since Mr. and Mrs. Carlock went there they have experienced a severe

President-E. C. Stone, Chicago. Vice President-J. J. R. Patrick, Belle

Secretary—Edmund Noyes, Chicago. Treasurer—E. S. Talbot, Chicago. Librarian—H. H. Townsend, Pontiac Executive Com.—C. A. Kitchen, Rock ord; A. S. Waltz, Decatur; T. H. McCoy Board of Examiners—K. B. Davis, Springfield; E. D. Swain, Chicago; T. L.

Gilmer, Quincy.
Publication Com.—Edmund Noyes and E. D. Swain, Chicago. Com. on Infraction of the Code of Ethics—W. T. Magill, Rock Island; A. L. Matteson, Chicago; and J. M. Hurtt,

EXAMINATIONS. The State Examining Board met at the Court House to-day and examined a number of applicants for license. They were mostly young men, who have no diplomas from reputable dental colleges. Ry obtaining a license from the State Dental Society they may practice dentistry in Illinois.

TO-MORROW'S PROGRAMME. The following programme will be observed to-morrow at the court house: TUESDAY, MAY 8.

Committee for preliminary business; of the Secretary and Treasurer for re-ceiving dues; and of the Board of Canfor receiving applications to membership. MORNING SESSION.

2,-10 a.m.-Organization, Roll Call and Reading of Minutes.

Miscellaneous Businees.

Reports of Committees -Reports of Officers. —Election of Members

-Adjournment.

APTERNOON SERBION. -2:30 p. m.—Reading minutes of pre vious session. —Miscellaneous Business.

-Election of Members. -Discussion of President's Address Reading of Essays, etc.

Miscellaneous Business.

turn my thanks through your columns to the Grand Army of the Republic for the four dollars they paid for one month's house rent for me

ONE Thomas Wilson, who prides himself on being a subject of England, was before Justice McGorray this forenoon, charged with being intoxicated. Wilson incidentally referred to the fact that he is an English subject, and when the justice fined him \$5 and costs pronounced the judgment an insult to England. In Canada, he said, when an American guilty of a misdemeanor in that country, was brought before a bar of justice, and the fact was established that he was a subject of the United States he was at once discharged, no matter how grave the offense. However, the fuming of Wilson had no effect on the justice, lam, seems to be a favorite pastime with and he was sent down to join the chain

the scene of the butchery.

Number pupils enrolled, 39; neither abent ner tardy during April, Alvin Miller, Albert Gottwald, David Tankersley; rank 1, Lydia Miller. Measles and scarlet rash nade and havor with our attendance record this month. Parents are earnestly requested to visit us and see what their children are doing.

THE Brussels carpet on the floor of the New Masonic Hall was made by the Hartford Co., and can be had in Chicago. Linn & Scruggs offer for putting down the same make and quality was about one hundred and fifty dollars less than

was paid. may7dtf

WM. TOWLING, Sec. J. B. BULLARD, the undertaker, on Sat-

orday afternoon secured another black herse for the hearse, and now he has the most perfect pair of blacks in the city. Both as near alike as two peas, and are gentle and stylish.

The weather having been unfavorable and the season backward we were tardy in making our purchases, but we have just received our first installment, and are now ready to show an elegant lineembracing some very handsome and late styles. We offer them at very light profits. Come in and see them.

chased from Dr. J. N. Randall 60 feet of ground on North street, just west of the high school lot. The price was \$1,200.

Have your measures taken at B. Stine's Wilson Bros.' Shirts.

THE DECATUR CHURCHES. There are scores of people in this counpromise, but those who have been there

Dakota Overrated

wind storm that blew almost a hurricane

for eighty-six hours. Mrs. Carlock es-

pecially is of the opinion that that coun

PERSONAL MENTION.

Albert L. Sunth, editor of the Lincoln

Prof. Black delivered the Ascension

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Loughbom will go

Mrs. W. H. Musgrove and children will

Alderman Shoemaker is on the sick

list. He may not be able to attend the

Ex-Gov. Oglesby left Lincoln Friday

for Leadville, Colo., to look after his

mining interests. Hope the General will

trike a rich lead and become a million-

Rev. Thomas Harrison is still in the

city. He will leave this evening or to-

morrow for Kausas City, Mo., where on

Wednesday evening he will commence a

Marshal J. E. Moffett, of Chaton, broth-

er-in-law of Mrs. Jesse Bendure, was in

the city Saturday evening, on his way to

reward of \$25 was offered

Ioneshoro, after a third for whose capture

M. L. Ryan, late of Niantic, has been

an express messenger on the Northern

Pacific railway for several months. He was

in Decatur to-day, and will go to Super-

ior, Wis., in a few days accompanied by

his family. Their home in future will be

R. L. Perry, roadmaster of the Wabash

council meeting to-night. It is probabl

that Alderman Diehl will be there.

leave this afternoon for St. Joseph. Mo ..

and will be absent about two months.

to housekeeping on North Water street

Sentinel, was in the city to-day.

Day sermon at Olney last week.

try is greatly overrated."

ty who believe that Dakota is the land of | Among the Sanctuaries-Rev. Harrison at the Union Meeting Sunday are not quite so jubilant as when they started away. Now while everything is At the Christian church on Sunday on the boom, no doubt a man with more

norning Prof. Black delivered a very elo quent and logical address on "Sanctifica persons were formally received into full fellowship. At night every available many that went could not get into the church. His subject was "Sin and Its Cure." His text was let John 3:4: "Whosoever committeth sin transgresseth the law; for sin is the transgression of law." A diagnosis of sin shows five points: First love of sin: second, practice of sin: third the state of sin; fourth, the guilt of sin fifth, the power or dominion of sin. The five points of Calvinism will not cure it. Neither will the five points of Arminianism effect a cure. Christianity will cure t, and nothing else will. It has its five points: First, faith cures the love of sin; second, repentance cures the practice of sin; third, baptism cures the state; fourth, the remission heals the guilt; fifth, the Oscar Liter has a new and shining Holy Spirit relieves from its dominion These points were argued very logically for about an hour and thirty minutes quoting meantime over seventy passages of scripture in proof of his position. Tonight his subject will be "The Two Cov

> enants." The services at the Methodist churche were of an unusually interesting character. The class meetings at the First M E. church and at Stapp's Chapel were very largely attended. There were about 300 at the latter church, and at the for mer at 10:30 Rev. Dr. Davies preached a doctrinal sermon before a large congre gation. Mrs. Brady, the new organist, late of Cincinnati, presided at the organ. Union services were held at the First church at 3 o'clock, when the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered to several hundred people. The chance rail was crowded 16 times by person who came forward to renew their covenant. Rev. Thomas Harrison was pres ent. He delivered short talks to the peo

ple at intervals. There were no services at this church in the evening. A union meeting was held at Stapp's Chapel. The church was jammed full of people, many being unable to enter. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Dimmitt, Rev. Musgrove and Rev. Harrison, but so densely was the audience room filled that no revival service could be held. Rev. Dimmitt spoke particularly to the young converts, giving them helpful hints as to the course they should pursue in their new experience as professing Christians. He told them they could not grow in grace by enthusiasm and the clapping of hands but they should read their Bible and consider its teachings, and to do this they must use their brains, not giving themselves up entirely to emotional feelings. Rev. Harrison also spoke to the converts, and alluded to his experience in Decatu as the most wonderful during his revival work. Mr. Harrison will go to Kansas City and begin a revival there on Wednesday evening of this week. Stapp's Chapel now has a membership of about 400, about 150 of whom were added as a re-

sult of the revival. There were three additions to the Presbyterian church on Sunday-two by profession of faith and one by letter. The congregations during the day were large and the sermons delivered by the pastor were of the usual high order and interest Palmes. They need a good soap down at | The Arion salaried quartette led the singing which was unusually good. It was appounced that another young people's meeting would be held this evening a six months in Washington, D. C., and a the usual hour.

She will, with her husband and eldest That we display an elegant line of dress and youngest sons go to housekeeping in goods, comprising various qualities and purchased and moved to its present site | price them.

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All lines, plaid towels, 1 yard long,

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The Miss St. Quinten comedy company, Opening Days. Miss. S. C. Watson, whose fashion em which played to big business at Milwauporium is in postoffice block, first door kee last week, and dedicated a new opera west of the "White Front," will on house at Newton, Ill., Saturday evening, Wednesday and Thursday, May 9th and arrived in Decatar to-day and will appear at the opera house to-night in Scott Mar- 10th, have a grand opening of fashionable millinery goods of every description ble's musical comedy, "Voudoo Violet," beautifully trimmed hats, ribbons, and The piece is a splendid production and all the pretty novelties of the season. The free exhibition will be one well worth seeing, and the public generally, the ladies monials are unanimous in praising Miss in particular, are cordially invited to call St. Quinten. Those who go to the opera at the store at any time, and don't fail to house this evening are assured that they call on the 9th and 10th. Miss Watson is

tones in her line.

May2d&w2w

THE Rescue running team will meet to-morrow night to talk about going to the Waterloo (Iowa) tournament.

will be splendidly entertained.

the house on West North street, recently

Comedy To-Night

by A. Nebinger.

THE Public Library will remain open until May 19th, on which day all books now out or that may be taken out, must be returned.

MR. THOMAS BIVINS. Excursion Agent, whose office is in J. S. Hand & Co.'s store in Postoffice block, will manage three excursions to Southeastern Kansas and Southwestern Missouri, over the Wabash and K. C., Ft. Scott & Gulf roads. trains will leave Decetur on May 1st, May 15th and May 29th. See Mr. Bivins for rates. Round trip tickets good for 40

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only upholsterer in Decatur that carries any stock of upholstering goods, come and see me and get prices before going to see me and get prices before going to anyone that has not goods, tools, or any-thing else to do first-class work with. Everything that goes out of my shop is guaranteed. Come and see me when you want anything in my line. All kinds of awnings made and put up, G. P. HART. April18dim W. C. T. U.

Attention is especially called to our regular meetings, viz: Gospel meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Tuesdays, and busines neeting at 3 p. m. on Thursdays. M. M. SARGHET, Sec.

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DRESS GOODS WILL BE MADE TO-MORROW.

Dress Goods worth 20 cents will be sold for 10 cents. Those worth 25c will be sold for 15 cents. Dress Goods worth 40c will be sold for 25 cents.

We buy our goods very cheap and that we sell cheap is demonstrated on every hand.

Our stock is composed of the most choice goods of every description, and you can never know how cheap goods can be purchased until you examine prices at

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March 7, 1883-dawif

COMEDY COMPANY, In Scott Marble's New Musical Comedy,

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We show an elegant line of these goods. CHEAP STORE. See them. 18 Merchant street. May2d&w1w MARRIED.

Parasols.

At the residence of the bride's parents near Derby, Iowa, on May 3d, 1883, Mr J. Craven Heaton and Miss Class The groom is the younger brother of

Mr. James Heaton, of the firm of Tyles & Heaton, real estate agents of this city OPERA HOUSE.

MONDAY, MAY 7th.

Special Engagement of

DECATUR, ILLINOIS. ginghams. May2d&wlw

THE Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway will sell round trip tickets to all who desire to attend the Annual Meeting of the German Baptists (Dunkards) to be held at Bismarck Grove, near Lawrence, Kansas, at \$11.90 from this city and return. The sale of tickets will commence on the 5th inst., and will continue until the 15th, good to return until June 10th.

May 2-dtd

Ferguson & Dillehunt, No. 13 Water St. Call for Joe Sutter's popular brands of eigers. His "Golden Belt" nickel

Mr. OLIVE COAL, the purest and clean est in the market, to be had only at Ve

In all qualities and at astonishing low

had a family reunion dinner at his home Thanks. on East Eldorado street on Sunday, on EDITORS REPUBLICAN: I desire to rewhich day he was 57 years of age. The children were all present, and also four grandchildren. Mr. John Simpson, of Taylorville, Ill., MRS. M. E. S. YOUNG. executor of the late Mr. A. Simpson, offers for sale lifteen head of thoroughbreds. They were got by such horses as Red Bluff, said to be the best 3-year-old the Simpsons ever owned; Scotland, King Alfonso, Asteroid, Lever and Gleneig.

at Superior.

James W. Ham got home from Cincinnati Sunday morning. In four days he sold 120 gross-17280 cakes-of Mexican ranted about the room and Palmea toilet soap to wholesale druggists, and might have sold as much more had he visited the wholesale grocers. There is big excitement in Cincinnati about Porkopolis, and Taylor & Co.'s bonanza s just the article they want. Mrs. E. G. Tucker, after a visit of about short visit of nearly three weeks at Louisville, Ky., arrived home Saturday night.

ceived a telegram from Jacksonville, asking for the arrest of one John W. Miles, description of whom was also given. Miles is wanted at the city of asylums on a charge of bastardy. The sheriff looked about the city, and soon had Miles in custody. Saturday evening Deputy Sheriff Platt, of Morgan county, visited Decatur, and took Miles to Jacksonville on the Sunday morning train.

JAMES GRAY, the escaped prisoner captured in Decatur Friday evening, was the combination is strongly commended nang Shirts just received at John Irwin's taken to Indianapolis last evening by as one of the best traveling. The testi-White Front, P. O. block. Apr. 13 dif Detective Jarrald. Mr. J. is quietly doing all he can to unravel the Mt. Pulaski triple murder mystery, and now believes he is on the right trail. He thinks the Pinkertons are decidedly off, and makes the declaration that the murderers do not reside more than a dozen miles from

Nevada School.

A. A. TINKLER.

Regular meeting Central Lodge, No. 8, I. O. M. A., this Monday evening, May 7, at 7:30 o'clock. Lodge meets over the Blenz meat market on old square.

Parasols.

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No. 48, Chicago Express	12:15 a. 1 11:55 a. 1 9:15 p. 1

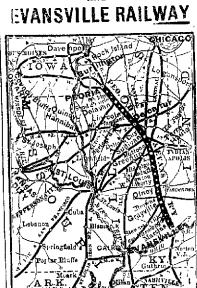
The following freight trains will carry pas-ingers with takets on the St. Louis Division: dring West. 6:30 a, n Arrive from West. 6:30 p n

Champaign Division:

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R. R. On and after Monday, Oct. 29, 1882, train will arrive and depart as follows:

WEST. 12:25 p m. 0:30 p. n. 15:25 p m. 15:25 p m.

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CONDENSED TIME CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING RAST.

Mail and Express No. 22. 12-15 p. m.

Night Express No. 23. 12-16 p. m.

May Freight No. 25. 6-00 a. m.

Mixed and Stock Train No. 20. 5-50 p. m. vay Freight No. 50.
dixed and Stock Train No. 50.
ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.
Mail and Day Express No. 21. 3:00 p. m.
Seeht Express No. 25. 4:30 n. m.
7:30 p. m.

Night Express No. 25. 4:30 ii. in Way Freight No. 25. 7:30 p. in Through Freight and Mixed Train No. 20. 8:45 a. in I. H. WILSON, Superintendent. C. E. HENDERSON, Gen'l Man. Decatur, III., April 23, B. C. LLINOIS CENTRAL R. R

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tions, I would rank Mexico, under its new regime, as high as any country I visited; edu-cation is compulsory between the ages of two and fourteen; waifs, strays and neglected children are swept into the reformatories, and the establishment for teaching the deaf and dumb enables its immates to talk a language of those own.

The Sleep That Men, Women and Children Should Have.

'I do not think a person should be waked at

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fired frame needs just as she knows how to

make the beart throb and send the blood cours-

ng through the years. Then she takes that

me I frame, lays it down on a bed, surrounds it with the refreshing air of night, coversit with the soft darkness and lets the man rost

with the soft durkness and lets the man rest. Thick nature's sweet restorer, balmy sleep; visits him, and as the hours wear by his energies are renewed, his strength comes buck, and finally, when morning breaks and the smight stanks through the lattice, he opens his eyes and is hunsel again. Or if he is early to bed he awakes with the cocks' crowing. Now who shall go to that man's side an hour before he opens he eyes and say to nature, stand useds and let han get up. He has had enough of test? Well, nature will say: 'You can take him it you will, but I will charge him with an hour's loss of sleep and I'll collect it out of his hours and nerves and has hairs and eyesight. You can't cheat me, I'll find properly to key on.'"

"What would be the result if a man were to

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"Tifteen—I go to work at 12 in the day time

"Say 5...2"
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"Well, when you are 30 in years you will be 55 in actic can Lathaenta-colder than I am. Go ask you anormate paper printers how they red. At these steps classic—are their eyes

bright are the da good out are they dragging out the rice. Put then beside the men who do dry work, and how do they company?"

"Yes, and so should a child. A baby should sloop with its mother, a child should be sent to had only in the mother, a child should be sent to had only in the aboved to wake of its own according the morning. As for school girls, many a gill who may anoun studies would be better occupied on sing butterdies, or training flowers, or galtoning a pony, or dancing. I would prefer to be twen diaghter healthy, sweet-tempered, seesable and beautiful, without Latin, algebra and grammar, that to have one wor so advanced in her humanities, with her health rande, or pechaps lying under a marble union the cemetery; and as for man I would rather be able to care \$2 \text{ a day in the vigor and glory of perfect health than to draw rents from property for which I have exchanged the bless to of a sound constitution."

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and paste it into their scrap books.

crowding. Ladios and cinitiren can result from the theatres, cares, or Zocalo, at late hours of the night without molestation or such offeness as may cross their path in London; and what has been accomplished in a city of 300,000 inhabitants is being extended to the neighboring cities and country districts, with every prospect of soon rendering all parts of the country as safe to travel in by day or night as in the City of Mexico itself. The Mexican world keeps early hours. Chocolate about 7 a. m.; a heavy "square meal," called almuerzo, it may be breakfast, luncheon or dinner, between II and 2; in the evening chocolate, ices, or some light refreshment, followed by the opera, theatres, or, what to me was far more preferable, an excellent band of music in the gardens of the Plaza. The hotel and boarding house accommodation of the city is barely sufficient for the present influx of American visitors; and, should a gentleman desire to visit the city with his wife and family it would be well to secure rooms beforehand by telogram or lotter. The Mexican hotels are for lodging only, and your meals must be eaten at the restaurant attached, or elsewhere, as fancy may dictate. The street called San Francisca street, prolonged by Los Plateros, nearly a mile in length, and running from the Plaza Mayor to the beautiful gardens of the Alamede, is, from its position and excellent slops, the most attractive and fashionable street in the city. The new street of the Cinco do Mayo, from the Toatro Nacional to the cathedral, is partly under construction. It will be a noble street when completed, and the avenue of trees continued its whole length; but, unless it is lined with shops, it will not compote, from a business point of view, with San Francisca street, which is the great thoroughfare of the city. The shops have a perky, Farisian appearance, not that of the palatule establishments on the boulevards, but rather that of the third-class streets of Paris. The city swarms with soldiers, and the sound of the trumpet call startles Apply into nostrils with little finger I was troubled with Chronic Catarrh and gatherings in my head, was very dear at times and had discharges from my ears, besides being unable to breathe through my nose. Before the second bottle of Ely's Cream Enlm was exhaust-ed I was cured, and to-day enjoy sound health. C. J. Corbin, 923 Chestnut st., Field Manager Philadelphia Pub. House, Pennsylvania.

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rebellion in my stomach."

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Coany County (1) Coany County (1) Macon county, to the May Toun, A. D. 188). Isate D. W. Ree, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malchorn, decreased, vs. Anna Trenkle, Thomas Graves and the valknown heirs of Frederick Malchorn.—Pelition to self-real estate to pay debts. A FFIDAV3T of the non-residence of the un-A. known heirs of Frederick Malchorn, deceased, detradants above named, having been flied in the office of the Cirrk of the County Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said unknown heirs of Frederick Malchorn that the said plaintiff, Isaac D. Welker, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malchorn that the said plaintiff, Isaac D. Welker, administrator of the estate of Frederick Malchorn, deceased, has fled his petition in the said County Count of Macon county for morder to self the premises belonging to the estate of said deceased, and described as follows, to-wir. Put of the Southeast quarter of self-the premises belonging to the estate of the first decreased, and described as follows, to-wir. Put of the southeast quarter of self-the to the bouthwest quarter of section thirty-four, township seventeen, range into cost of the interest open and on a stake, thence cost near eighteen rods to the place of beginning, containing two heres; and that a summons has been issued out of said Court House in Becatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Now, unless to, u, the said unknown heirs of Frederick Malchorn, shall personally be and appoint before said County Court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof, to be holden at Decatur, in said county court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof, to be holder at Decatur, in said county court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof, to be holder at Decatur, in said county court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof, to be holder at Decatur, in said county, on the twenty-firs **TRUTHS**

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The Savings Fund, Building and Loan Association, of Decatur, Illinois, complainants, vs. Anna Levi, Josephine Lynch, June White, Guorge Stare, Thomas E. Bond, John Stare, William C. Johns, Joseph Allerdice, H.C. Johns, Anthony Maren, and Kate Marony, detendants.—Foreclosure.

AFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Anna Levi, Josephine Lynch, Jame White, Thomas E. Hond and Joseph Allerdice having been filled in the office of the Cheuit Clerk of said county of Macon, notice is hereby given to cuch of the last named parties that the above named complainant has filed its bill of complaint in foreclosure in said court on the chancery side thereof, that the parties mentioned in the capitlon hereta are the parties to the suit. that a summons issued out of said court to the above-named defendants, returnable on the first day of the May Terna, A. B. 1889, of the In the County Court of Mason county, Illinois, April term, 1883. Istate of AMANDA W. Pateritia, Deceased.

To the heirs and legatees of said estate and all whom it may centern: You are hereby notified that on Tuesday, the 15th day of May 1883, the Executor of said Istate will present to the County Court of Maron county, at heating illusion, his final report of his acts and doings as such Executor, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said Extate, and his administration thereof, at which line and place you may be present.

sun. Unst a summons issued out of said cour to the above-maned defendants, returnable of the first day of the May Term, A. D. 1885, of the Circuit Court of Macro county, State of Illinois, to be holden at the Court House, in leopatur, in said county, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1885, as is by law required. Said suit is now pending and undetermined.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk Circuit Court.

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